

House File 2099 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act prohibiting a city from adopting an ordinance that
2 prevents discharging a firearm as a salute to an individual
3 during an authorized parade or at a funeral or memorial
4 service.
5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
6 TLSB 5208HH 82
7 md/sc/14

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1 1 Section 1. Section 364.3, Code 2007, is amended by adding
1 2 the following new subsection:
1 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 10. A city shall not adopt or enforce any
1 4 ordinance prohibiting an honor guard composed of members of
1 5 the armed forces, law enforcement officers, or members of a
1 6 recognized military veterans organization as listed in section
1 7 35A.2, subsection 2, or section 37.2, subsection 1, from
1 8 discharging a firearm with blank ammunition in a salute or to
1 9 honor an individual during an authorized parade or in
1 10 conjunction with a funeral or memorial service conducted at a
1 11 cemetery or funeral home.

EXPLANATION

1 12
1 13 This bill prohibits municipalities from enacting or
1 14 enforcing ordinances which would prevent an honor guard
1 15 composed of members of the armed forces, law enforcement
1 16 officers, or members of a recognized military veterans
1 17 organization from discharging a firearm with blank ammunition
1 18 in a salute or to honor an individual during an authorized
1 19 parade or in conjunction with a funeral or memorial service
1 20 conducted at a cemetery or funeral home.
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